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Serial No. 09/995,818 – filed January 29, 2001  
Group Art Unit – 2621  
Attorney's Docket No. 122.1476

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FROM: H. J. Staas

RE: Amendment filed January 21, 2005

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Dear Examiner Rosario:

Further to your telephone call of August 3, 2005 regarding the status of Application No. 09/995,818, please be advised that we prepared and filed an Amendment with a Petition For a One-Month Extension of Time on January 21, 2005 by Certificate of Facsimile.

For your convenience, we attach herewith a Courtesy Copy of the Amendment and Petition For One-Month Extension of Time, as filed, along with our facsimile confirmation copy to confirm that the Amendment filed on January 21, 2005 was sent and received successful by the USPTO.

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Thank you.

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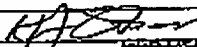
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		Filing Date November 20, 2001	
		First Named Inventor SHI FURUKAWA, et al.	
		Group Art Unit 2621	
		Examiner Name ROSARIO-VASQUEZ, DENNIS	
FEE CALCULATION (Fees effective 12/00/04)			
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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	3 =	0
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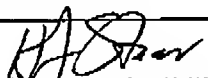
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		Filing Date		November 29, 2001			
		First Named Inventor		Eiji FURUKAWA, et al.			
		Group Art Unit		2621			
AMOUNT ENCLOSED		120.00		Examiner Name		ROSARIO-VASQUEZ, DENNIS	
<b>FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)</b>							
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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	- 3 =	0	X \$ 200.00 =	0.00		
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Eiji FURUKAWA, et al.

Serial No. 09/995,818

Group Art Unit: 2621

Confirmation No. 9741

Filed: November 29, 2001

Examiner: ROSARIO-VASQUEZ, DENNIS

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 21, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on December 21, 2004. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to January 21, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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